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December 8, 2004

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Group Art No: 2815

Serial No. 10/707,712

Examiner: Jerome Jackson, Jr.

Filed: 1/6/04

Title: STRUCTURE AND METHOD OF MAKING
HETEROJUNCTION BIPOLAR TRANSISTOR
HAVING SELF-ALIGNED SILICON-
GERMANIUM RAISED EXTRINSIC BASE

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In an Office Action mailed December 1, 2004, the Examiner has required an election
under 35 USC 121 of a single disclosed species for prosecution.

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GROUP I, Claims 1-15, drawn to a device, classified in class 257, subclass 198, and
GROUP II, Claims 16-29, drawn to a process, classified in class 438, subclass 15+.

Applicants elect to prosecute the invention of GROUP I, consisting of Claims 1-15, and
withdraw from consideration of the claim forming GROUP II, as being drawn to non-elected
invention, without prejudice to the Applicants' right to file a Divisional or Continuation or
Continuation-in-Part Patent Application for the withdrawn claim.

Thereafter, the invention of GROUP II, namely, Claims 16-29, can be withdrawn by the
Examiner under 37 C.F.R. 1.142(b), as being drawn to a non-elected invention.

The election of claims is made without traverse.

Respectfully submitted,
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